



County Manager's Monthly Memo

From the Santa Fe County Manager

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Board Of County Commissioners Upcoming Schedule

- Sept. 9 at 2 p.m.
- Sept. 30 at 11 a.m.
- October 14 at 2 p.m.
- October 28 at 11 a.m.
- Nov. 25 at 11 a.m.
- Dec. 9 at 2 p.m.

All Regular Meetings are held on Tuesday in the County Commission Chambers at 102 Grant. Ave.

All regular meetings are broadcast live at www.santafecountynm.gov and on Comcast Ch. 28 or you can listen live on Que Suave AM810

Join Santa Fe County and other Counties from across the State for Counties Day at the New Mexico State Fair on Thursday, September 18, 2014!

Santa Fe County Fair Great Fun!

Santa Fe County would like to say thank you to all the participants and residents that helped make the Santa Fe County 2014 Fair such a great success! From great food booths to wonderful indoor exhibits the fair was full of fun for the entire family. The rabbits, ducks, goats, cows and pigs (just to name a few) were all in show mode and a big hit! Please see a full list of County Fair winners on the inside pages!



Top Left: Lionhead Rabbit, this category was new to the fair in 2014.



Top Right: Indoor quilt exhibit



Right: Indoor photography Exhibits



2014 4-H Livestock Champions

Grand Champion Swine	Emma Martin
Reserve Grand Champion Swine	Caleb McCall
Grand Champion Goat	Prentice Jones
Reserve Grand Champion Goat	Trey Mitchell
Grand Champion Lamb	Christopher
Turner	
Reserve Grand Champion Lamb	Julia Baca
Grand Champion Steer	Jordan Spindle
Reserve Grand Champion Steer	Malorie
McAllister	

2014 Small Animal Champions

Grand Champion Rabbit	Tessa Scheler
Reserve Grand Champion Rabbit	Alyssa Copeland
Grand Champion Poultry	Madison
Schlosser	
Reserve Grand Champion Poultry	Emma Martin

2014 4-H Horse Show Results

High Point Senior	Mariah Montoya
Reserve High Point Senior	Julia Baca
High Point Junior	Brooke Burch
Reserve High Point Junior	Jack Cameron
High Point Novice	Breann Boddy
Reserve High Point Novice	Colton Burch

2014 4-H Indoor Exhibit Results

High Point Senior	Kelly Barrows
Reserve High Point Senior	Ciprianna Roybal
High Point Junior	Ashley Barrows
Reserve High Point Junior	Alena Roybal
High Point Novice	Lilly Stuart
Reserve High Point Novice	Tessa Buck

2014 4-H Showmanship Winners

Round Robin (Overall Showman)

Grand Showman	Julia Baca
Reserve Grand Showman	Lila Baca

Horse - Grand Showman	Mariah Montoya
Horse - Reserve Grand Showman	Brooke Burch

Swine - Grand Showman	Morgan McCall
Swine - Reserve Grand Showman	Emma Martin

Goat - Grand Showman	Manuel Kavanaugh
Goat - Reserve Grand Showman	Trey Mitchell

Lamb - Grand Showman	Jessica Gustin
Lamb - Reserve Grand Showman	Emma Martin

Beef - Grand Showman	Abby Spindle
Beef - Reserve Grand Showman	Cash Spindle

Rabbit - Grand Showman	Lila Baca
Rabbit - Reserve Grand Showman	Cheyenne Ellis

Poultry - Grand Showman	Julia Baca
Poultry - Reserve Grand Showman	Cheyenne Ellis





2014 Open Youth Results

High Point 14-19 year-olds	Ciprianna Roybal
Reserve High Point 14-19 year-olds	Kelsey Dobesh
High Point 12-13 year-olds	Alena Roybal
Reserve High Point 12-13 year-olds	Elijah Estrada
High Point 9-11 year-olds	Charlotte Williams
Reserve High Point 9-11 year-olds	Kyla Madrid

2014 Open Adult Sweepstakes Winners

Photography	Connie Mitchell
Quilting	Jean Steiger

2014 Salsa Contest Winners (In Place Order)

ReNell Roybal- Santa Fe, NM
 Joshua Browning- Santa Fe, NM
 Orlando Padilla- Santa Fe, NM
 Shannon Schwebach- McIntosh, NM
 Rhonda Macias- Santa Fe, NM
 Robert Anaya- Stanley, NM (*Our very own Commissioner*)

Special thank you to the team from St. John's Methodist Church for organizing the fun and tasty contest!

2014 Chile Challenge Winners

1 st place	Cindy Barfield
2 nd place	Amanda Mathers

This year's Chile Challenge was a huge success! Thank you to the Santa Fe County Cowboy Church for organizing this fun event.

Special Thank you to this year's County fair superintendents:

Horse & Livestock- Terri Werner
 Livestock- Monica Lury
 Small Animals- Heather Stumpff
 Indoor 4-H & Open Youth- Cheryl Stumpff
 Open Adult- Elena Benton

Special Thank You

Kenneth "Greg" Smith, the Public Works Maintenance Crews and the Santa Fe County Extension Office for all their hard work!



Santa Fe County Black Canyon Hand Crew Assists in Diego Fire

The Diego fire burned 3,626 acres in the Santa Fe National Forest south of Coyote, NM. Santa Fe County Black Canyon Hand Crew assisted on the fire, sending 11 crew members. Santa Fe County spent eight days on the fire, working the night shift for half their tour. The hand crew provided burn out operations for structure protection with two other hot shot crews. The crew performed various other duties during the duration of their tour. Thank you to the Santa Fe County Hand Crew for their hard work!



Santa Fe Renaissance Fair

Enjoy Clan Tynker and medieval combat, jugglers, live entertainment and dancers... vendors, kids' games and delicious food, drinks & mead at the Renaissance Fair!

Saturday, September 20 and Sunday, September 21
El Rancho de las Golondrinas
10 a.m. – 6 p.m.

Visit the Santa Fe Renaissance Fair Website www.sfrenfair.org for more information!

Admission:

Adults: \$10
Seniors (62+) &
Teens (13-17): \$8
Under 13: FREE!!

Santa Fe County Mobile Health Van On the Road



The Santa Fe County Mobile Health Van, a key program in the County's Community Services Department, travels throughout the County and provides health screenings at no charge. These free services include blood pressure screening, blood glucose and cholesterol monitoring, and oxygen assessment. For the first time, in May the Van offered mental health assessments, in partnership with CHRISTUS St. Vincent. Nurses also provide health information and refer people to health care providers and to places for

help in enrolling in health insurance. In the fall, free flu shots are offered on the Van.

The Van visits senior centers, community and recreation centers, supermarkets, housing complexes, churches, food distribution locations, and other places where people gather, including health events and the County Fair. In Fiscal Year 2014, the Van had 2,648 visitors.



Kati Schwartz, R.N.

Kathleen ("Kati") Schwartz, R.N., is our full-time community health nurse. Kati has clinical experience in family health, she was part owner of a family health clinic and has served as clinical manager for an alcohol and substance abuse facility. She also has a Master's degree in Nursing Administration. The weekend nurse is Kennedy Saez, R.N. Kennedy has experience in both primary care and substance abuse treatment settings. The drivers for the Van, Kevin Smith and newly hired weekend driver Paul Betz, are integral to the Van team, greeting visitors and helping provide a comfortable atmosphere for all those who stop by.

The Mobile Health Van schedule is available on the County website and can also be checked by calling 992-9849.

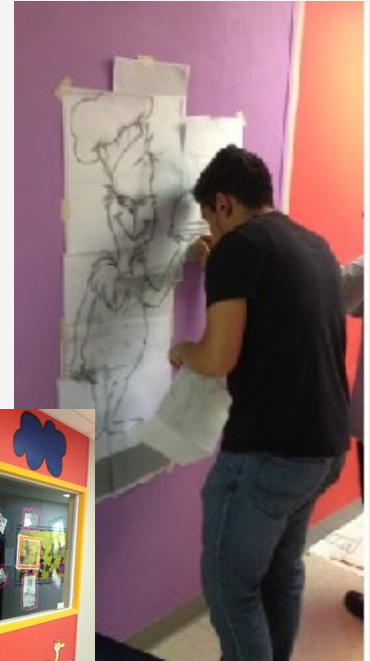
Come meet the team and get a free and confidential screening.



Teen Court Completes Dr. Seuss Mural at the Santa Fe YMCA

This month the Santa Fe County Teen Court program kicked off a new mural located at the YMCA on the south side of Santa Fe. Cynthia Leyba, Santa Fe YMCA Branch Director for Central New Mexico, suggested the idea of Dr. Seuss and explained how the YMCA teachers often incorporate his books into their curriculum.

Teen Court participants took the lead in designing and completing the mural. The teens looked at a variety of Dr. Seuss illustrations and came up with a list of vital characters that should be included in the mural. It was suggested that the characters could be doing something “unusual” and interacting in various ways with a continuous background. Once the sketches were enlarged and transferred onto the panels, the teens were able to bring their characters to life with layers, details, colors, expressions and patterns. The completions of the mural required several more painting sessions for the artists to refine images and add finishing touches to their compositions. The artists were exposed to drawing and painting techniques including masking, transferring, layering, and color-mixing. The community had a mural celebration earlier this month.



Santa Fe County Employees of the Quarter

Congratulations to the Santa Fe County Employee of the Quarter for the Second Quarter 2014! In 2014 Santa Fe County implemented a new Employees of the Quarter Program. The program recognizes employees who make a significant contribution to Santa Fe County during the previous three month period. There are six Employee Recognition Teams encompassing all of the County departments and Elected Offices. Each Recognition Team selects one Department/Elected Office Employee of the Quarter for their team. These six Department/Elected Office Employees of the Quarter are automatically considered for the countywide Employee of the Quarter process.

Department Employees of the Quarter:

(Pictured from L-R)

Tim Cannon, Senior Planner

Ashley Barela, Payroll Specialist

Ashley Lopez, Administrative Assistant

Erika Romero, Administrative Assistant

Kurt Whyte, Deputy

Major Nelson Abeyta Accepting on behalf of Rita Archuleta, Sergeant

Countywide Employee of the Quarter:

Ashley Lopez, Administrative Assistant



Congratulations to these great employees!

Cundiyo and El Rancho Communities Get Playground Upgrades

Santa Fe County recently completed upgrades in Cundiyo and in El Rancho. At both locations new playground equipment and new fencing was installed. In total over \$36,600 in upgrades were installed!



Far Left: Cundiyo

Left: El Rancho

Top: El Rancho

What's Happening in Brief at SFC

Ground Breaking Ceremony

The County will have a Ground Breaking Ceremony on Friday, August 29, 2014 at 10 a.m. for the new Community Center Building and Expansion of the Ken and Patty Adams Senior Center (16 Avenida Torreon) in Eldorado.

Santa Fe County To Be Featured in World Literature Today

Marilyse Figueroa, a reporter with *World Literature Today* has been working with the Adult Correction Facility to do

a feature article on Santa Fe County. Ms. Figueroa is specifically interested in the library that has been updated with books and Poetry seminars through our volunteers Maura Taub and Demetria Martinez. The Magazine is published World Wide.

Face Of Recovery Walk

Join us for the first Teen Court of Santa Fe Face of Recovery Nature Walk on Saturday, September 27, 2014 from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. at the Santa Fe County Arroyo Hondo Open

Space Tail. The Arroyo Hondo Open Space trail is located off Arroyo Hondo Road, just west of 1-25. You don't have to be in recovery to participate. Please join us to help show support for neighbors, friends and family and help us raise awareness!



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Santa Fe County Treasurer's Office – (505) 986-6245
Santa Fe County Sheriff's Office – (505) 986-2455
SFC Adult Correctional Facility – (505) 428-3861

Other Important Numbers

Development Permits 505-986-6225
Fire Questions/ Burn Permit 505-992-3070
Utilities 505-992-9870
Public Works/Roads 505-992-3010
Human Resources 505-992-9880
Community Services 505-992-9849
Attorney's Office 505-326-6279
Teen Court 505-995-9555
Animal Control 505-992-1626

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Watch for our community
Think SaFe campaign
launching on Fiesta Friday.

Watch for our T-shirts, napkins, coasters,
and buttons in over 20 establishments.
Feel the difference that we can make as a
community, and tell someone about it.

